

TRUE  
NEWST  
OF a bloody  
FIGHT  
Upon the 7<sup>th</sup> of December last past, between the  
TURKS  
AND THE  
CHRISTIANS,  
Wherein the Turks Army was  
Totally Routed,  
One Hundred Thousand being Killed upon the place,  
Four Leagues being covered with Blood  
and Dead Bodies.

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From *Hamborow* the 28<sup>th</sup>. 8<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>.

**T**He Letters from Poland bring us a Coppy of a Letter from Sir *Cuniki*, General of the *Cossacks*, to the Sr. *Potarki*, Chancellour of *Cracow*, Dated from *Tekin*, a City in *Pollaghia*, and that of the 7<sup>th</sup> of December New Stile; which brings News of a great Fight between the *Cossacks* and the *Turks* and *Tartars*, the *Cossacks* having lately submitted themselves to the protection of the King of Poland: The substance and material Actions were as followeth.

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**T**hat the Tartars of Budziak and Ozbowa, and thereabouts, were not in a condition in a great while to make incursions into Poland, being he were joyned to the *Volachies*; After having given them the Oath of Fidelity to the King of Poland, and finding himself Thirty Thousand strong, and almost all *Eucreinia* under his obedience, he was entred into the Country of Tartars of Budziak near the Town *Tekin*, and found there an Army as strong as himself, composed of Turks and Tartars, whom he instantly attacked with a great deal of vigour, and notwithstanding the force of their opposition, he had cut the most of them in pieces, and the rest were fled in four bodies; whom he pursued with such vigilance, that but very few of them escaped with their lives, and that the slaughter was so great that for four Days together the ground was all covered with blood and dead bodies, and that he had made himself Master of all that Country, where he had put to the sword of all Sex and Ages a hundred thousand souls, and had burned a great many of their Villages, and put a strong Garrison into *Bilgrad* and *Tekin*, where then he rested himself with his Army, the Enemy lost three Generals; *Albye*, General of the Spies, offered an hundred thousand Crowns for his Ransom, but some difference happening amongst the *Cossacks*, it could not be obtained, *Raimakin* was killed, and *Jalagash* their Chief General. No other particulars are come over as yet, only there was but very few lost on the Christianside, considering the obstinate bloodiness of the Fight for some hours at the beginning.

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